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The reply filed on November 29, 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

- 1) Applicants failed to file a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.183.
- 2) The copy of the substitute specification does not include a copy of claim 1 and the abstract.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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